



Crime Watch News

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COMMUNITY CRIME PREVENTION MEETING

CHIEF'S ANNUAL POLICE DEPARTMENT COMMUNITY UPDATE

Thursday
February 17, 2005
7:00 p.m.

Long Beach Water Department
1800 East Wardlow Road



**Please note the change to
Thursday!!**

Come out and meet your Chief of Police!
He'll provide you with an update on crime in our City,
how you can assist and his strategies to tackle it.

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UPCOMING EVENTS/VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- ◆ Monday, February 14, 2005 All Day Long
Valentines Day!!
Don't forget that someone special!! 
- ◆ Saturday, February 19, 2005, 8:00 a.m. — 12:30 p.m.
NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH BLOCK CAPTAIN TRAINING DAY (FOR CURRENT BLOCK CAPTAINS)
Long Beach Police Academy — 7290 E. Carson Street, Long Beach
For further information and to R.S.V.P. whether or not attending:
Contact PSA Lisa Massacani: (562) 570-7229 or Sgt. Kevin Coy: (562) 570-7155
- ◆ Saturday, February 26, 2005, 6:00 p.m.— 9:30 p.m.
9TH ANNUAL ICE DOGS POLICE AND FIRE APPRECIATION NIGHT
Long Beach Ice Dogs, Long Beach Arena — 300 E. Ocean Boulevard
For further information, contact Roberto Cabrone (562) 624-5576

COMMUNITY POLICE ACADEMY



The Long Beach Police Academy, in conjunction with Long Beach City College, is continuing a curriculum for participants to gain insight and understanding of the criminal justice system and the Long Beach Police Department. The goal of the Community Police Academy is to build a stronger relationship between the citizens of Long Beach and the Long Beach Police Department.

Long Beach Police Officers, Detectives, and crime experts provide presentations and conduct demonstrations on a number of services, programs and Department duties. Community Academy presentations include Patrol Operations, narcotics, criminal law, S.W.A.T., K-9, and other related fields. Participants are also provided the opportunity to ride in a patrol car with a police officer to experience law enforcement from an entirely new perspective. Upon graduation, participants earn two units of college credit from Long Beach City College.

The next Community Academy begins on February 16, 2005 and will run through May 18, 2005. This session will meet on Wednesday evenings.

Academy sessions last for fifteen weeks and are held one night a week from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at the Long Beach Police Academy.

Interested city residents may download an application and obtain eligibility information at:

http://www.longbeach.gov/police/join/volunteers/community_academy.asp

Applications should be sent to:
Long Beach Police Academy
7290 E. Carson Street
Long Beach, CA 90808
Attn: Community Police Academy

Please contact the Community Police Academy Coordinator at (562) 570-5959, if you have additional questions.

LONG BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT



CRIME TIP HOTLINES



DRUGS
DROGAS
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GANGS
PANDILLAS
ភ្លើង-ពួកយក្ស

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(562) 570-7125 (866) GANG-TIP (562) 570-2773
(866) 426-4847
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Leave a recorded message.
Your call is anonymous and confidential.

Deje su mensaje.
Su llamada es anonima y confidencial.

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For Crimes in Progress – Dial 9 - 1 - 1
Para Crimenos en Progreso – Marque 9 - 1 - 1
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If you would like to obtain CRIME TIP HOTLINES posters to post and pass to your friends and neighbors, please contact the Community Relations Division Office at (562) 570-7215.

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WWW.GLBF.ORG

GREATER LONG BEACH FOUNDATION

PUBLIC SAFETY FUND

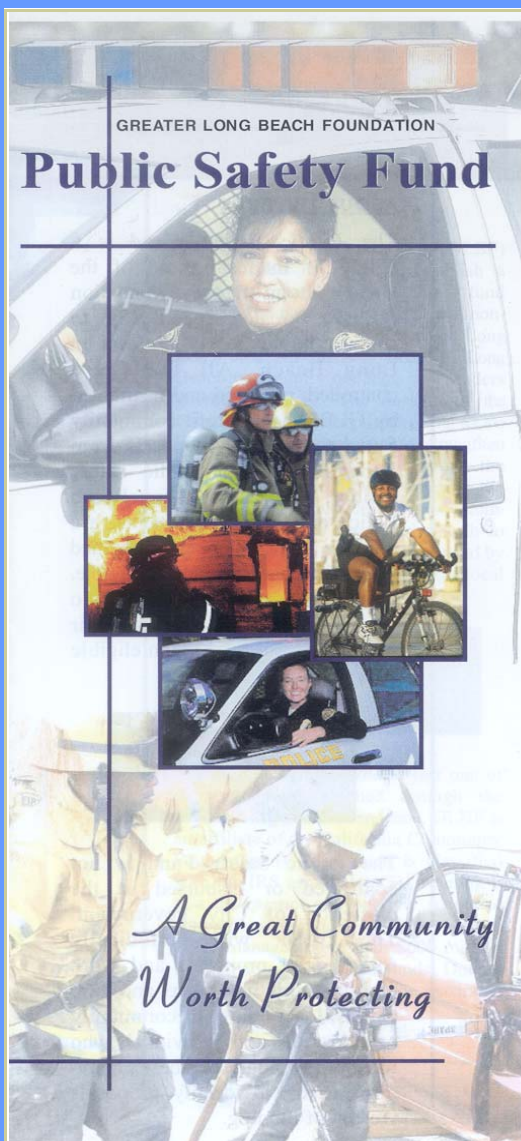
The Greater Long Beach Foundation (GLBF) was founded in 1996 to establish a permanent charitable endowment fund to serve the needs of the donor and nonprofit communities in the Greater Long Beach area. Its mission is to foster private giving to the local nonprofit community; to strengthen service providers; and improve the quality of life for the people of the Greater Long Beach area. This is accomplished by serving donors who wish to preserve their philanthropic legacy and by building an endowment to support local nonprofit organizations.

The Public Safety Fund is just one of many funds established through the Greater Long Beach Foundation. GLBF is an affiliate of the California Community Foundation (CCF), which is classified with the IRS as a 501 c (3), meaning it is a tax-exempt and publicly supported nonprofit organization. CCF, founded in 1915, manages more than \$600 million in charitable endowment funds. Donors to the Foundation receive the maximum tax benefits allowed by law.

The Public Safety Fund is a "Field of Interest" fund of the GLBF, created specifically to support public safety projects in Long Beach. All funds are controlled, managed and distributed by GLBF, a nonprofit community foundation. Grant proposals from Long Beach area public safety entities, such as the Long Beach Police and Fire Departments, are eligible for funding. Qualified nonprofit agencies are also eligible. Individuals are not eligible to receive funding, unless their project is sponsored by an eligible agency.

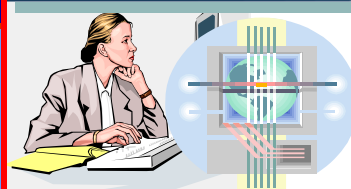
The Public Safety Fund is not controlled or disbursed at the discretion of City government. The GLBF will periodically solicit grant proposals and work closely with the Police and Fire Chiefs, local nonprofit community organizations and individuals who have knowledge of the community's needs, to identify proposals worthy of funding.

Public contributions are welcomed. Donors may use a wide variety of assets to contribute to the Public Safety Fund, including cash, securities traded on major exchanges, closely held stock, mutual fund shares, retirement plan assets, limited partnership interests and real estate, to name a few. An endowment may also be set up to sustain funding opportunities in the future.



To find out more about the Public Safety Fund, contact Jim Worsham, Executive Director of the Greater Long Beach Foundation at (562) 435-9033 or GLBFoundation@aol.com

e-notify
sign up now



The City's email notification service is up and running!

Once you sign up, you'll receive automatic e-mail updates of police events and other news occurring within our City.

Please encourage your friends and neighbors to join. It is a great way for the Police and other

City Departments to communicate important information to you and to other concerned citizens of Long Beach.



Follow these five easy steps to subscribe to this free service:

1. *Access the Long Beach Police Department's website at:
www.longbeach.gov/enotify*
3. *Click on the "New Subscription" button*
4. *Click the boxes for the areas of interest that you would like to receive information about and enter your information*
5. *Click on "Submit" and we will regularly send you information!*



NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH SUCCESS STORIES

This month's Success Story highlights the Neighborhood Watch Group in the 6700 Block of Gardenia Avenue

On December 12, 2004, Anne Greeson, the Block Captain of the 6700 Block of Gardenia Avenue Neighborhood Watch Group, called the police to report a car parked in the alley. This alley has been a constant source of problems to the neighborhood. One of the biggest problems being graffiti, which she and her neighbors had been painting out at least once a week for many months.

The officers responding to the call noticed two juveniles facing a garage with what appeared to be fresh graffiti on the garage door. The officers questioned the juveniles and noted color markings on their hands which matched the fresh graffiti. Although the juveniles denied owning markers matching the graffiti, they consented to a search where the markers in question were recovered. Eventually the juveniles admitted to tagging the garage, a nearby sign and an electric box. When the child's mother was contacted, the officers noticed similar graffiti on her apartment and all throughout other areas of the apartment complex. The juveniles were cited for defacing private property and for being a minor in possession of marking pens and were released to their mother. They'll see their day in court soon!

Since then, this Neighborhood Watch Group worked with the Southern California Edison Alley Lighting Program to obtain new lights for their alley. Now they have one less illegally parked vehicle, two taggers awaiting prosecution, plenty of light...and get this!

They no longer have to paint out graffiti on a weekly basis!

The successes of this Neighborhood Watch Team really shine! Keep up the good work!

Please share your own Neighborhood Watch Success Story by e-mailing it to Lisa_Massacani@longbeach.gov.



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Happy Valentine's
Day!